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Date January 11, 1940

Subject Leaflets announcing a series of lectures on prophecies of the Bible.

Made by D.S.I. Prokofiev. Forwarded by

Forwarded herewith are specimens of a leaflet in Russian announcing a series of public lectures at 69 Wayside Road, the first of which will be held at 7.45 p.m. on 11-1-40. Admission is free and open to all members of the public.

It appears from the leaflet that the lectures will be devoted to subjects relating to "theology, study of the Bible, psychology, atheism and various prophecies contained in the Bible". The Bible, it is stated, contains the solutions of political and theological problems announced many thousands of years ago.

A similar announcement appeared in the local Russian press to-day, in which it is stated that lectures of the same kind will be held at 686 Avenue Joffre. At the latter address is located a church of Seventh-Day Adventists, and the residence of Mr. K.D. Karallashili, prominent member of the religious community in question.

A. Prokofiev
D.S.I.

D. C. (Special Branch).

D.C. 'D' Wayside

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ПРИГЛАШЕНІЕ!

СЕРІЯ ЛЕКЦІЙ

По теологіи, библіоведенію, психологія веры, атеизма и библейскіе пророчества и их историческая критика.

Вейсайд род № 69.

ПЕРВАЯ ЛЕКЦІЯ СОСТОИТСЯ

В ЧЕТВЕРГ 11-го ЯНВАРЯ 1940 года

с 7-ми час. 45 мин. ВЕЧЕРА.

Любезно приглашаем Вас пожаловать на СЕРІЮ ЛЕКЦІЙ.

Следующіе собранія будут происходить

по ВОСКРЕСЕНЬЯМ С 5-ми час: 45 мин. ВЕЧ.

по ВТОРНИКАМ С 7-ми час. 45 мин. ВЕЧ.

и по ЧЕТВЕРГАМ С 7-ми час. 45 мин. ВЕЧ.

Вход бесплатный и свободный...

Не пропустите возможности слышать курс лекцій, где пред вами пройдут судьбы пышных царств прошлаго и станет ясной будущность нашего міра. Политическіе и теологическіе вопросы разрешены еще тысячи лет тому назад Книгой Книг-Святого Писанія. Вы найдете мир и покой душе, слушая Слово Божіе.

Лекціи сопровождаются картинами проэкціоннаго фонаря.

Address: 69, Wayside Road.

Seventh Day Adventists-

K. Captain Davidovich	Yavalchville

686 Avenue Joffre.

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SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE.

Section 1, Special Branch Stalibh/

REPORT

Date May 2, 1938

Subject Meeting at the Cossacks' Union, 1292 Avenue Edward VII, on 1-5-38.

Made by D.S.I. Prokofiev. Forwarded by C. Crawford

Over 100 persons attended the meeting which was held under the auspices of the " Shanghai Section for Combating Atheism" between 8 p.m. and 10.30 p.m. on May 1, 1938 in the premises of the Cossacks' Union, 1292 Avenue Edward VII, House 1.

The programme of the meeting included addresses on the following subjects:-

1. Russian Orthodox Faith as one of the foundations of the National Russia..... by Mr. I.V. Mussi-Mussienko
2. Disseminators of spiritual poison..... by Mr. S.V. Amelevsky.
3. Foundations of Faith and the origin of atheism..... by Father M. Medvedeff.

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In conclusion it was announced that representatives of various Russian religious sects in Shanghai who were asked to take part in the dicussions on two previously announced subjects, had declined the invitation on various pretexts, and that another attempt will be made to secure their participation in a ~~dispute~~ debate to be arranged in the near future.

The meeting was attended by Bishop Juvenalius of the Russian Orthodox Mission in China.

A. Prokofiev
D. S. I.

D. C. (Special Branch).

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SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE.

Section 1, Special Br. S/ppp,

REPORT

Date April 30, 19 38

Subject Meeting at the Cossacks' Union, 1292 Avenue Edward VII, on 1.5.38.

Made by D.S.I. Prokofiev Forwarded by C. Crawford D.C.

The so-called "Shanghai Section for Combating Atheism" announced in the local Russian press that at 7.30 p.m. on May 1 a series of lectures on religious subjects will be held by members of the Section in the premises of the Cossacks' Union, 1292 Avenue Edward VII, House 1. It is also announced that leaders of various religious sects in Shanghai are invited to participate in the discussions which will follow the lectures, the subjects selected for these discussions being

1) Baptism and

2) Worshipping Icons.

During the past three months several lectures of this type were held by the same group at 832 Weihaiwei Road - premises occupied by the "All-Russia Fascist Party." These lectures attracted a very small audience and were conducted in an orderly manner.

With regard to the proposed discussions which constitute a departure from previous practices, it is reported that during the course of religious meetings held under the auspices of the local branch of the 7th Day Adventist Church reference to political matters are frequently made, the general trend of which aroused much adverse comment on the part of many Russians who do not belong to this particular church. It is reported that the invitation to participate in the proposed discussions has in view leaders of the 7th Day Adventist Church and that if the latter accept the challenge, the discussions may touch upon matters of a political nature.

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The meeting will be attended by a member of the Special Branch.

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A. Prokofiev
D. S. I.

D.C. (Special Branch)

File No.

SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE.

Special Branch No. 2 Station,

REPORT

S. B. D. 1709.

Date November 4, 1930.
6 - 11 - 30.

Subject (in full) Lectures to be given in the Settlement at 35 Range Road.

Made by D.S. PROKOFIEV. Forwarded by [illegible]

Sir,

Enquiries show that the attached bill was printed by the Russian newspaper "Vremia," 117-119 Avenue du Roi Albert, by order of Mr. Karalashvily, residing at 70 Route Vallon. He is a member of the local branch of the 7th Day Adventist Church (of which Mr. Wood residing at 299 Yu Yuen Road, is the head).

The Soviet orthography was used by request of Mr. Karalashvily who said it was in common use in Harbin. No. 35 Range Road where some of the lectures are to be given is the Church of the Seventh Day Adventists. There is no political or other special significance attached to this, but one or two of the lectures will be attended and should anything of interest from a Police point of view be noted a report will be duly submitted.

A. Prokofiev
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D. C. (C. & S. Branches)

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SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE.

REPORT

Special Branch No.3. Station.

Date October 31, 1930.

Subject (in full) Handbill emanating from Soviet sources enclosed in Russian newspapers of October 31, 1930.

Made by and Forwarded by D.S.I.Moore.

Sir,

The attached handbill in the Soviet orthography is enclosed in to-days Russian newspapers. The handbill announces a series of religious meetings to be held in the Settlement at 35, Range Road, on Sundays, Mondays and Wednesdays, and in the French Concession at 70, Route Vallon on Sundays, Tuesdays and Thursdays, when religious subjects touching on "The End of the World" will be discussed. The three cardinal questions to be treated are:-

1. Have the Bible's prophetic powers been verified?
2. How will the world's struggle finish, and what will be the end of the world's present nightmare?
3. The world's conflict between Capital and Labour. The time when this event will materialise is clearly given in the Bible.

The handbill is not signed by any person or society, nor is any address given by those responsible for the issue of it.

D.S.I.

Officer i/c Special Branch.

S2, For attention. Has all this any special significance?

31:10:30

ПРИГЛАШЕНІЕ!

ОТКРЫВАЕТСЯ

серия библейских пророческих проповедей

В ВОСКРЕСЕНЬЕ 2 го НОЯБРЯ 1930 г.

в 2 х местах
1) На Англійской Конгрессии Renge Road 35 в 4 ч. 30 м.
2) На Франц. Конц. Route Vallon 70. (Рут Валлон) № 70 против Франц. парка в 8 ч веч.

Книга Библия ясно и убедительно говорит человечеству о том, что наступит конец века и при этом она указывает на многие признаки, давая этим возможность людям приготовиться к необычайному дню.

Пророки Божии предсказывали, что в „последний день" или „в конце времени" настанет эра изобретений и научных достижений, накопления богатств и борьбы между капиталом и трудом, оргіи преступлений, дакости нравов и безнравственных развлечений, семейных неурядиц, общего НЕВЕРІЯ, потока бедствій и страданий и пролитая крови среди „разсвирепевших народов".

Выше указаны лишь некоторые из выдающихся пророчеств, которые определенно называют наше время „временем конца", которые подтверждают и утвердждают, что ИИСУС ХРИСТОС опять придет и что жатва созрела.

ТЕМЫ ПРОПОВЕДЕЙ НА ЭТУ НЕДЕЛЮ

1/ Проверена ли пророческая способность Библии!

2/ Чем окончится мировая вражда? Какой конец ко пмару современных событій?

3/ Всемирный конфликт между капиталом и рабочими; время, когда можно его ожидать ясно предсказано в Библии

В Свете божественных пророчеств ум находит удовлетворение, а душа и сердце покой

Проповеди будут происходить в 2 х частях города по три раза в неделю:

I	II
На Renge Road 35	На Rout Vallon 70
(Ренжи Род 35)	(Рут Валлон 70)
АНГЛИЙСКАЯ КОНЦ.	против французского парка
1) по Воскресеньям в 4 часа 30 минут. веч.	1) по Воскресеньям в 8 час. веч.
2) по Понедельникам в 8 часов веч.	2) по Вторникам в 8 час. веч.
3) по Средам в 8 час. веч.	3) по Четвергам в 8 час. веч.

Речи будут иллюстрироваться световыми картинами

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Вход бесплатный! Всех приглашаем!

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